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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6th, 1897.

六拜禮

號六月二年七十九百八千壹萬港香

PRICE \$24 FEB MONTH

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

STUD GROOM to take charge of Horses. Liberal wages to good man. Letters only.
BERT WILLISON, 71 Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong, 6th February, 1897. [375]

NOTICE.

PERMISSION has been granted by His Excellency the Governor for the 1st Battalion P.W.O. (West Yorkshire Regiment) to hold their **ANNUAL SPORTS** on the **WONG-NEI-CHONG RECREATION GROUND** on the 10th and 11th inst. at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. respectively. All persons are invited to attend. Admission free. **C. MILLER**, Major, 1st West Yorkshire Regiment, Hongkong, 6th February, 1897. [373]

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel on **SA-TURDAY**, the 27th February, at 10 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company for the year ending 31st December, 1896, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matters that may be competently brought before the Meeting. The **TRANSFER BOOKS** of the Company will be **CLOSED** from the 19th to the 27th February, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board.
G. MOONEY, Secretary. Hongkong, 6th February, 1897. [374]

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.

THE COMPANY'S Steamship.

"ESMERALDA."

Captain Taylor will be despatched for the above port on **MONDAY**, the 8th inst., at 4 p.m. This steamer has superior accommodation for Passengers and is fitted with the Electric Light. For Freight or Passage, apply to **SHEWAN TOMES & CO.** Agents. Hongkong, 6th February, 1897. [376]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

(UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.)

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, RANGOON, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT, AFRICAN PORTS, NALAE, EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH, AND CAPE TOWN.)
THE COMPANY'S Steamship.
Captain G. Wallenberg will be despatched as above on **THURSDAY**, the 11th inst. Cargo will not be received on board after 3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passengers and Freight apply to **SANDER & CO.** Agents. Hongkong, 6th February, 1897. [5]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE F. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship.

"JAVA."

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out, marked by hand, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed. This vessel leaves on Cargo—From Madras, ex S. S. *Brisa*. Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 p.m. TO-DAY. Goods not cleared by the 11th inst. at 4 p.m. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognized. H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent. Hongkong, 6th February, 1897. [1]

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, AND SINGAPORE.

THE COMPANY'S Steamship.

"JING-SUEY."

having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Office of the Underwriter before Noon on the 12th inst., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Friday, the 12th inst. at 10 a.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 12th inst. will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by **HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO.** Agents. Hongkong, 6th February, 1897. [371]

"RICKMERS" REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS.

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ENTERTAINMENTS.

NIL DESPERANDUM.

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6.—Any information required may be had on personal application to the Shanghai Office. Prizes, etc., will be supplied on request.

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